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November 5, 1990

Ms. Donna R. Searcy  
Secretary  
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1919 M Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

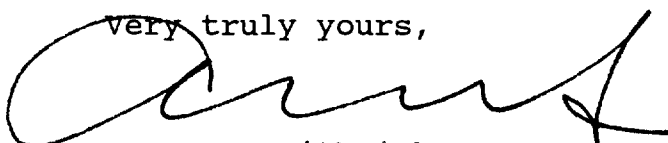
Re: Bible Broadcasting Network, Inc.  
File No. BPED-900816MA  
Fort Smith, Arkansas

Dear Ms. Searcy:

Transmitted herewith, on behalf of Bible Broadcasting Network, Inc., are an original and two copies of an amendment to the above-referenced application.

If there are any questions with respect to this matter, please communicate with the undersigned.

Very truly yours,



Gary S. Smithwick  
Counsel for  
BIBLE BROADCASTING NETWORK, INC.

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Before the  
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In the Matter of )  
Application of )  
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BIBLE BROADCASTING NETWORK, INC. ) File No. BPED-900816MA  
Fort Smith, Arkansas )  
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For Construction Permit )  
for a New FM Station )  
on Channel 209A )  
Fort Smith, Arkansas )

**AMENDMENT**

The above-referenced application of Bible Broadcasting Network, Inc. ("BBN"), applicant for a construction permit for a new FM station at Fort Smith, Arkansas, is amended by substituting the attached Exhibit 2 to update information concerning BBN's broadcast interests and applications as required by Section 1.65 of the Rules. Also attached is a copy of BBN's certificate of incorporation, and an amendment thereto, Articles of Incorporation, and By-Laws.

Executed this 2nd day of November, 1990.

Respectfully submitted,

**BIBLE BROADCASTING NETWORK, INC.**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Keith Wohlenhaus  
Secretary/Treasurer

## EXHIBIT 2

### DESCRIPTION OF RADIO STATION INTERESTS OF BIBLE BROADCASTING NETWORK, INC. ("BBN")

BBN is a non-profit, non-stock corporation which operates seventeen radio stations and a number of translators with a non-Commercial educational format. The stations are as follows:

<u>Call Letters</u>	<u>City of License</u>
KCEV(FM)	Wichita, Kansas
WAVO(AM)	Decatur, Georgia
WFCE(FM)	Tarpon Springs, Florida
WHPE-FM	High Point, North Carolina
WHGG(FM)	Knoxville, Tennessee
WYFA(FM)	Waynesboro, Georgia
WYFB(FM)	Gainesville, Florida
WYFC(FM)	Clinton, Tennessee
WYFG(FM)	Gaffney, South Carolina
WYFH(FM)	North Charleston, South Carolina
WYFI(FM)	Norfolk, Virginia
WYFJ(FM)	Ashland, Virginia
WYFK(FM)	Columbus, Georgia
WYFL(FM)	Henderson, North Carolina
WYFO(FM)	Lakeland, Florida
WYFS(FM)	Savannah, Georgia
WYFT(FM)	Luray, Virginia
WYFV(FM)	Cayce, South Carolina

#### Studio Transmitter Links

WHY-945	North Charleston, South Carolina
KPG-761	North Charleston, South Carolina
WBK-210	Norfolk, Virginia
WHB-998	Henderson, North Carolina
WHG-434	Gaffney, South Carolina
WLF-436	Gainesville, Florida
WLF-872	Luray, Virginia
WLL-678	Columbus, Georgia
WHE-722	Henderson, North Carolina
KPH-329	Gainesville, Florida

#### FM Translators

W210AC	Southern Pines, North Carolina
W214AG	Schroon Lake, New York
W215AG	Swainsboro, Georgia
W204AN	Swainsboro, Georgia
W224AF	Danville, Virginia
W224AL	Westover Hills, Virginia
W261AM	Christiansburg, Virginia
W261AN	Blacksburg, Virginia
W296AF	Martinsville, Virginia
W296AM	Bassett Forks, Virginia

Applications pending for new noncommercial educational FM stations at the following communities:

<u>Community</u>	<u>FCC File Number</u>	<u>FCC Docket Number</u>
Live Oak, TX	BPED-880930MM	
Noblesville, IN	BPH-880301ML	MM Docket No. 90-94
Conway, FL	BPED-890412MJ	
Fisher, WV	BPED-900103MD	
Evans, GA	BPED-900125MC	
Martinez, GA	BPED-900125MB	
Amarillo, TX	BPED-900730MG	
Monroe, LA	BPED-900730MF	
Alexandria, LA	BPED-900730MJ	
Lafayette, LA	BPED-900730MI	
Salina, KS	BPED-900730MH	
Pine Bluff, AR	BPED-900808MB	
Topeka, KS	BPED-901005MB	
Lubbock, TX	BPED-901005MA	

Applications pending for new FM Translators:

<u>Community</u>	<u>FCC File Number</u>	
Paris, TX	BPFT-880722TB	
Amarillo, TX	BPFT-880725TE	
Odessa, TX	BPFT-880725TD	
Wichita Falls, TX	BPFT-880725TC	
Salina, KS	BPFT-880728TB	
Topeka, KS	BPFT-880725TC	
Lake Charles, LA	BPFT-880801TM	
Lafayette, LA	BPFT-880801TB	
West Monroe, LA	BPFT-880728TA	
Tyler, TX	BPFT-880808TC	(Dismissed April 3, 1990)
Springdale, AR	BPFT-880808TB	
Fort Smith, AR	BPFT-880808TD	
Stillwater, OK	BPFT-880810TA	
Manhattan, KS	BPFT-880810TB	
Emporia, KS	BPFT-880810TC	
Jonesboro, AR	BPFT-880815TJ	
Pine Bluff, AR	BPFT-880815TI	
New Iberia, LA	BPFT-880815TL	
Roswell, NM	BPFT-880815TK	
Lufkin, TX	BPFT-880906TC	
Midland, TX	BPFT-880822TC	
Beaumont, TX	BPFT-880822TD	
Bryan, TX	BPFT-880822TE	
Van Buren, AR	BPFT-880808TD	
Abilene, TX	BPFT-880912TF	
Grand Island, NE	BPFT-881011TI	
Columbia, SC	BPFT-880922TA	(Returned April 3, 1990)
Lincoln, NE	BPFT-881011TI	(Returned April 3, 1990)
Alexandria, LA	BPFT-881019TA	
Nacadoches, TX	BPFT-881019TB	(Returned April 3, 1990)
Longview, TX	BPFT-881121TG	
Princeton, WV	BPFT-890105TA	
Winchester, VA	BPFT-890313TF	

Application pending for modification of facilities of WYFB(FM), Gainesville, Florida (File No. BPED-871105IF).

Application pending for Earth Station located at Chesapeake, Virginia filed June 1, 1989.

Application pending for assignment of license of WBQM(FM), Decatur, Alabama (File No. BALED-900827GV).

BBN was an applicant for a new non-commercial educational FM station at Wilmington, North Carolina. It was dismissed by the FCC after BBN did not continue to prosecute it.

Lowell Davey, Georgeanna Davey and Keith Wohlenhaus are officers and directors of Bible Broadcasting Network International, Inc., which is the permittee for the following FM translators:

W210AA	Augusta, GA
W221AA	Stafford, VA
W221AH	Fredericksburg, VA
W221AK	Waynesboro, VA
W221AO	Charlottesville, VA
W224AE	Wytheville, VA
W249AC	Pulaski, VA
W249AF	Salem, VA
W292CH	Williams Village, NC
W296AO	Harrisonburg, VA
W296AU	Keezletown, VA
W249AG	Roanoke, VA
W296AR	Neco, GA
W240AF	Charlottesville, VA



STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

*Richmond.* March 18, 1969

*This is to Certify that the certificate of incorporation of*

Christian Communications Incorporated

*was this day issued and admitted to record in this office  
and that the said corporation is authorized to transact its  
business subject to all the laws of the State applicable to  
the corporation and its business.*

*State Corporation Commission*

*William C. Perry*  
Clerk of the Commission

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA  
STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION  
OFFICE OF THE CLERK

RICHMOND, VA. 23209

April 19, 1974

\$ 10.00

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Mr. Wendell L. Winn, Jr.  
One Commercial Place  
Norfolk, Virginia 23510

Ten and no/100-----DOLLARS

FOR Christian Communications Incorporated (chg. name to; Bible  
Broadcasting Network, Incorporated)  
on account of fees in connection with articles filed by the above corporation:

Filing Fee, \$5.00; Charter Fee, \$-----; Recording Fee, \$ 5.00

The certificate of Amendment

was issued and admitted to record in this office on the date above written.

*William C. Young*

Clerk of the Commission

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION  
OF  
CHRISTIAN PATRONIES INCORPORATED

We hereby associate to form a non-profit and nonstock corporation under provisions of Chapter 2 of Title 13-1 of the Code of Virginia and to that end set forth the following

ARTICLE I

NAME

The name of the corporation is Christian <sup>Patronies</sup> Incorporated.

ARTICLE 2

PURPOSE

The corporation is organized as a (non-profit religious) corporation for the purpose of <sup>promoting and spreading</sup> bringing glory to Almighty God. ~~The secondary purpose in light of this is the promulgation of the Gospel of Jesus Christ and the truths of the Holy Bible by whatever means possible, including, but not limited to the following:~~

- a. <sup>to own and operate</sup> the ownership and operation of one or more radio or television stations which would feature religious truth.
- b. <sup>to own and operate</sup> the ownership and operation of one or more printing plants or publishing houses for the publication of religious literature.
- c. The production and distribution of religious and educational programs on films, tapes, slides, or other audio or visual devices suitable for projection and broadcasting.
- d. The financial support of individuals or organizations engaged in religious work outside of the continental limits of the United States of America.



- e. The donation of money and supplies for the relief of human need and suffering in all parts of the world, including the United States of America.
- f. The conduct of education, including correspondence courses.
- g. The encouragement by every means, including the donation of money and equipment, of radio and television broadcastings which conveys religious truth.

#### ARTICLE 3

##### LIMITATIONS

- a. The corporation is empowered to finance its operation through all lawful means, however, it is forbidden to engage except incidentally, in any activity which is not within the purview of Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954.
- b. None of the income of the Corporation, except payment of reasonable salaries, shall inure to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual. *44 mg 20 corp expenses*
- c. The corporation shall not become of function as a church or religious denomination in derogation of section 59 of the Constitution of Virginia.

#### ARTICLE 4

##### DISSOLUTION

In the event of dissolution of the corporation, the assets thereof, after payment or provision for all just debts and expenses, shall be distributed to such educational, charitable or religious institutions as the Board of Directors shall elect.

#### ARTICLE 5

##### MEMBERSHIP

The corporation is to have no members.

#### ARTICLE 6

##### DIRECTORS

The number of directors shall be from time to time fixed by the By-Laws, and vacancies in such numbers are to be filled by the remaining directors. The entire voting power shall be vested in the directors who may take any lawful action by or on behalf of the corporation which might be taken by members having such voting power or by stockholders and directors under any provision of the law of Virginia. The Board of Directors may, by resolution passed by a majority of the whole Board, designate not less than two (2) or more than five (5) of their number to constitute an Executive committee who shall have and exercise the power of the Board of Directors in the management of the business and affairs of the corporation during the interval between Board meetings to the extent permitted by law. Directors shall be elected by the Board for a term of three (3) years and shall be eligible for re-election.

#### ARTICLE 7

##### ADDRESS OF REGISTERED OFFICE

The post office address of the initial registered office is 115 West Tazewell Street, Norfolk, Virginia. The name of the city in which the initial registered office is located is Norfolk, Virginia. The name of the initial registered agent is Keith H. Davey who is a resident of Virginia and a director of the corporation, and whose business office is the same as the registered office of the corporation.

#### ARTICLE 8

The number of the directors constituting the initial Board of Directors is five (5) whose names and addresses are as follows:

NAME

Lowell L. Davey  
Keith H. Davey  
William J. Miller  
Charles K. Yates  
Ashby L. Woodliff

ADDRESS

2108 Abbey Rd, Norfolk, Va.  
7417 Redbrook Rd, Norfolk, Va.  
247 Overland Rd, Va. Beach, Va.  
5613 Ziglin Rd, a Va. Beach, Va.  
8521 Wayland Norfolk, Va.

Given under our hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

*Lowell L. Davey*  
*Keith H. Davey*  
*William J. Miller*  
INCORPORATORS

State of Virginia  
City of Norfolk to wit

\_\_\_\_\_, a notary Public in and for the city  
aforesaid, in the state of Virginia, do certify that Lowell L. Davey,  
Keith H. Davey, William J. Miller, whose names are signed to the fore-  
going articles of Incorporation, bearing date on the 15 day of March, 19  
have acknowledged the same day before me in my city and state,  
aforesaid. My term of office expires on the 15 day of March 1969.

Given under my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

BY LAWS OF  
BIBLE BROADCASTING NETWORK

ARTICLE-PREAMBLE

Voted

1/16/1979

The guiding principles of this corporation in the conduct of its affairs shall be in adherence to the tenets of Christian faith as established in the Word of God and set forth in our doctrinal statement below.

ARTICLE II-STATEMENT OF DOCTRINE

1. We believe in the Bible, which is verbally inspired by the Holy Spirit in the original manuscripts and is the infallible and authoritative Word of God.
2. We believe in the Triune Godhead in Three Persons-Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
3. We believe in the personality of Satan, called the Devil, and his present control over unregenerate mankind.
4. We believe in the fall and lost estate of man, whose total depravity makes necessary the new birth.
5. We believe in the deity of Jesus Christ, His virgin birth, death, bodily resurrection, present exaltation at God's right hand, and personal, imminent, and pre-millennial return.
6. We believe in the atonement by the substitutionary death and shed blood of Jesus Christ our Lord and Saviour.
7. We believe in the resurrection of the saved unto everlasting life and blessedness in heaven, and the resurrection of the unsaved unto everlasting punishment in hell.
8. We believe in the Church, the Body or Bride of Christ, consisting only of those who are born again, for whom He now makes intercession in heaven and for whom He shall come again.
9. We believe in Christ's great commission to the Church to go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature, baptizing and teach those who believe.

ARTICLE III-BOARD OF DIRECTORS

1. The management of the affairs and business of the corporation shall be conducted by a Board of Directors as specified in the charter.
2. The Board of Directors shall be elected for a term of 3 years.
3. In order to qualify as a director of this corporation, one must:
  - a. Have received the Lord Jesus as His personal Saviour, and endeavor to follow Him in his daily life, manifesting a definite desire to lead souls to Christ.
  - b. Wholeheartedly subscribe to the Statement of Doctrine on this corporation, and give written assent to said doctrine upon taking office including re-election.
4. If the majority of the Directors at any time concur in the belief that one of their members has failed to meet the above qualification, they may, by majority vote, terminate his term of office at a properly called business session.

ARTICLE IV-OFFICERS

1. There shall be every 3 years, elected from the Board of Directors, the following officers who shall serve without compensation:

PRESIDENT  
VICE-PRESIDENT

SECRETARY  
TREASURER

2. The Board of Directors shall elect an auditor to audit the financial records of the corporation and report annually.
3. No member of the Board of Directors is eligible to borrow money from this corporation.

#### ARTICLE V-DUTIES OF THE OFFICERS

The duties of the officers of this corporation shall be:

1. The President shall preside at all Board Meetings of the corporation and shall be chairman of all meetings of the Board. He shall manage the affairs of said corporation.
2. The Vice President shall perform all the duties of the President in his absence.
3. The Secretary shall keep careful records of all business transactions of the corporation, all business meetings of the governing body and the names and addresses of all members.
4. The Treasurer shall be responsible for all funds belonging to the corporation and shall see that a deposit is made of all funds in a bank specified by the Board of Directors. There shall be kept an accurate record of all receipts and disbursements, and a regular report for annual business meeting of the corporation shall be prepared. He shall promptly deliver to his successor all funds and accounts when his office is terminated.

#### ARTICLE VI-MEETINGS

1. Special meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held at the call of the President or at the call of any three members of the Board after due notice.
2. The annual meeting of the Board of Directors shall be the 1st. Tuesday in the month of April, or as agreed upon by a majority of the Board.
3. At least 51% of the Board members must be present to constitute a quorum for the Directors meeting.

#### ARTICLE VII-AMENDMENT OF BY-LAWS

These By-Laws may be amended or repealed as follows: A proposed change or amendment except for the Statement of Doctrine may be submitted, in writing, by any three members of the Board of Directors at least 30 days prior to the next regular meeting at which the proposed change is to be voted upon. A two-thirds majority vote of the Directors shall be necessary for adoption of a proposed change of the By-Laws.

#### ARTICLE VIII-DISPOSITION OF PROPERTY

See Articles of Incorporation, Article 4, "DISSOLUTION".